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A Wise Mississippi Law.

Mississippi has a law which requires the Governor, before he pardons a felon, to publish in the county where the prisoner was convicted the names of those who sign the petition for executive clemency. The object being to show who is responsible for the movement in behalf of the convict and to offer opportunity for a counter movement if there is any desire to inaugurate such opposition.

The wisdom and benefits of such a law are apparent and it could be copied with great advantage by this State. If this were done, citizens would not be so ready to sign petitions and the governor would put a pause upon his reckless exercise of the pardoning power.

As the custom now is, there is no difficulty in securing long petitions for any object under the sun, where it does not cost the signer anything except the exertion of writing his name. The average man will sign anything that is presented to him simply to please the circulator of the petition.

An influential citizen could easily get a multitude of signatures to a petition to hang the president of the United States. The reason is that the signer never expects to hear again of his name in connection with the petition and never expects anyone to find out his responsibility.

So notorious are these facts that they must be apparent to any man who has ability enough to become the governor of a great state. Such a man must know how little real significance should be attached to these lists of names. They merely serve him as an excuse for doing a favor for some friend to whom he may be under political obligations or to curry favor with some pardon attorney who may help to strengthen his machine.

As a matter of fact, the name of no man should add any weight to a petition unless it be accompanied by reason that call for clemency. It should be simply a question of the merits of the particular case and not of the personal wishes of any petitioner whatever.

Those temperance people who voted for Willson and the Republican ticket last fall because they doubted the avowed temperance reform advocated by Gov. Beckham and the Democratic party, may now feel like kicking themselves. Willson has denied them an extra session of the Legislature to pass local option measures. Last week the Anti-Saloon League at its annual meeting in Louisville invited Willson to deliver an address to that body. This Willson flatly refused to do. They may now, from experience, brand him an enemy to the temperance cause. It is a pity for the cause to suffer because the leaders sold it out to the Republican party, and indirectly to the whiskey trust itself.

Mrs. John Dill, of Omaha, Nebraska, has addressed an open letter to President Roosevelt in which, after stating that she has twenty-five children, she asks the President to please advise her where her husband can get work as he has no employment and the children are suffering. President Roosevelt ought to be delighted. No race suicide here. As to the jobless father, that is another proposition. Roosevelt and the system of getting large crops of wage-slaves to produce wealth for the masters is all right, but when it comes to providing work for them at living wages, that is different. With that they have nothing to do. The slaves must shift for themselves.

The people of Kentucky will be glad to know that the ordeal is over and that Taylor and etc will be set free by their close bosom friend—Augustus E. Willson. Setting these men free was no doubt in his heart the first official act and purpose of his soul. Delay has only been suffered in an endeavor to sham enough unthinking Democrats that he might be given another office.

Salary grabbers are again in vogue in Washington, says an exchange. Men who desire \$100,000 a year to live on, think that two dollars a day is enough for a working man. And many of the working men think so too for they voted for the hundred thousand dollar chap. It seems easy to satisfy both parties.

From their maneuvers we believe the Republicans are aiming to put out a piece ticket this fall and try to slip up on the blind side of some Democratic voters and get into office again one or more of their number, but in this they will be deceived. A burned child dreads the fire.

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Mrs. Ann E. Barnett is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Mayme Allen.

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Several of our citizens and tradesmen attended court at Winchester Monday.

Mrs. Clemmie Rice, a former resident of this city, has moved from Mt. Sterling to Texas.

For Sale—Cottage of four rooms in business part of town. Apply at this office.

Miss Mollie Johnson is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. H. Burgher, at Winchester.

Mrs. Lewis C. Lyle, of Vaughn's Mill, attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. John Lee, at Mt. Sterling Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Swope, of La Monte, Mo., formerly of this city, are the happy recipients of a new girl, born last week.

Johnnie Wright and family and Tom Barnett left Monday for Illinois where they will locate and engage in farming.

Eld. J. W. McCalister is now located at Blair's Mill, Morgan county. He visited friends at Virden from Saturday till Sunday.

Grover C. Williams, of Nashville, Tenn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Williams. Grover is in poor health at present and looks very pale.

Elder J. T. Turpin has been called to the pastorate of Macedonia church in Montgomery county and preached his first sermons there Saturday and Sunday.

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Revolts at Cold Steel.

"Your only hope," said three doctors to Mrs. M. E. Fisher, Detroit, Mich., suffering from severe rectal trouble, lies in an operation. "then I used Dr. King's New Life Pills," she writes, "till wholly cured." They prevent Appendicitis, cure Constipation, Headache. 25c. at all druggists.

The heavy rains Tuesday and Tuesday night has caused us to have a big tide in the river and it spread over a good portion of the bottom lands. It rose so fast Tuesday night many thought it would be a record breaking tide.

Washington Once Gave Up to three doctors; was kept in bed for five weeks. Blood poison from a spider's bite caused large, deep sores to cover his leg. The doctors failed, then, "Bucklen's Arnica Salve completely cured me," writes John Washington, of Bosqueville, Tex. For eczema, boils, burds and piles its supreme. 25c at all drug stores.

Elder Alber Easter visited his daughter, Mrs. J. A. Walters, at Ford Monday and Tuesday.

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Christian Endeavor.

Program for the Christian Endeavor Society meeting, Sunday evening, February 28th, 1900.

Topic—Present-day Pioneers. (Home Missions.)

Leader—Ethel Johnson.

Sower and Seed, Matt. 13:3-9—Edmon Burgher.

A Missionary Call, Jer. 1:4-10—Shelby Martin.

A Missionary Message, Isaiah 40:4-11—Bennie Rich.

The Missionary's Strength, Ezek. 3:4-11—Edna Earnest.

Achieving Impossibilities, Ezek. 37—Lucy Daniel.

Missionary Hardships, 2nd Tom. 2:1-7—Geneva Adams.

Present-day Pioneers, Eccl. 11:1-4—Grace Shiffessel.

Father Duncan—Nora Rich.

Home Missions in Central America—Thos. Rose.

Mission work in Old Mexico—Carl Garrett.

Acts 28:26-29—Shelby Burgher.

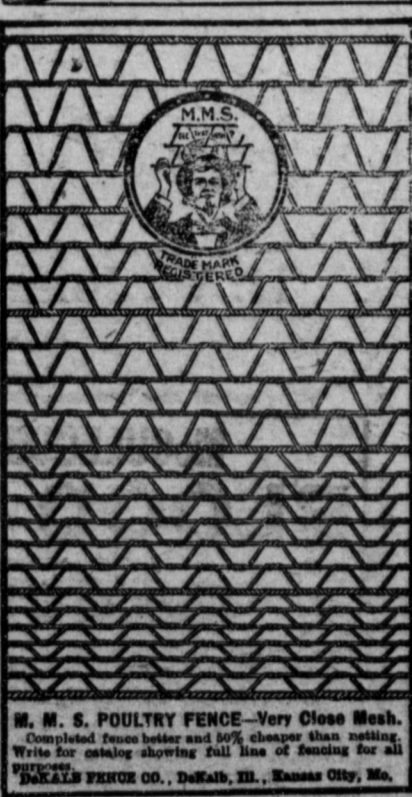
Isaiah 34:1—Betsy Johnson.

Organist—Nora Rich.

Those who have not paid their dues please come prepared to do so.

Soldier Balks Death Plot.

It seemed to J. A. Stone, a civil war veteran, of Kemp, Tex., that a plot existed between a desperate lung trouble and the grave to cause his death. "I contracted a stubborn cold," he writes, "that developed a cough that stuck to me, in spite of all remedies, for years. My weight ran down to 130 pounds. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery, which restored my health completely. I now weigh 178 pounds." For severe Colds, obstinate Coughs, Hemorrhage, Asthma, and to prevent Pneumonia it's unrivaled. 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by all druggists.



Death of Mrs. Wells.

Mrs. Dan Wells died on Hardwicks Creek Wednesday, burial today at the Wells grave yard. Her husband died about sixteen years ago. She is survived by James, Will and Pete Wells, of this county; G. W. Wells, of Clark county, and Mesdames P. D. Todd and J. W. Lyle, of this county.

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A man in Harrison county ran into a clothes line, badly cutting up his neck and face, and tearing out five of his teeth. An operation became necessary and half of the upper jaw bone was removed.

The Fiddler's Contest.

In the old time fiddler's contest at Stanton Monday night the ten dollar prize was awarded to Ben Hiley, of this city as being the best man with bow. Y. C. Bowen was awarded second prize of \$5. 'Squire Wm Townsend won the premium for the oldest fiddler in the contest. Dr. A. T. Knox had the oldest fiddle present and secured the premium allowed for such. The fiddle was 277 years old.

LOST—White and light brown spotted setter Bird Dog, answer call of "Mike." Last seen on street of Clay City, Tuesday, Feb. 2nd, '09. \$10.00 Reward if returned to W. H. Courtney, Clay City, Ky.

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